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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Amusement—Holloway Bros.
Sausage Stuffers—Holloway Bros.
All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R. Gaines.
Lieber was a business caller at this office Monday.
Your filtered gasoline from 25-tf.
Sausage Stuffers—Holloway Bros.
Service, buy Goodyear tires.
Motor Car Co.
Roos is still selling men's \$1.50 25 shirts for \$1.00.
Your tires from the City Garage that you get service.
Your tires now. Use Goodyear Diamond Tires. City Garage.
Winchester Remington ammunition just received. C. R. Gaines, 8
H. Noehring was a business visitor to the Anvil Herald office Tuesday.
Buying, selling or trading your car call 192 or visit City Garage.
G. Poehler and Henry F. Buss business callers at this office Tuesday.
Phone us for all kinds of garden just arrived. Phone 200. L. Gaines & Son.
Mrs. Jacob Koch were over D'Hanis Saturday and paid this business call.
Rettzer was over from Dunlay Sunday after a load of corn. While he paid us a pleasant call.

Amusement—Holloway Bros.
Big Stone Jars—Holloway Bros.
Sausage Grinders—Holloway Bros.
R. E. Bohmfalk paid this office a business call Monday.
John S. Koch paid a business call to the Anvil Herald office Tuesday.
Commissioner B. H. Brucks was a business caller at this office Tuesday.
Phone 37 for special auto livery. McLaugherty & Son. 25-tf.
Earl Boon is still selling men's shoes at very low prices. Come and see them.
FOR SALE—Maxwell Touring Car, almost new; good condition. E. Heineke Grocery. 13
A four wheel trailer you can attach to any car. Price right. See it at City Garage.
Chas. Folk and Miss Ida Folk took the train to San Antonio Tuesday. Charles returned Wednesday.
Lieutenant Joe Rogers was here Sunday from Camp Travis on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rogers.
John Saathoff and wife and two sons, Eddie and Walter, of Lower Hondo, made an auto-trip to Camp Travis Sunday.
Buy your tires at City Garage. Satisfaction and courteous treatment assured. We appreciate your patronage. 46

Heating Stoves—Holloway Bros.
Earl Boon is selling Ladies Corsets at half price.
Nie Koch was a business caller at this office Tuesday.
Earl Boon is selling 25c Peaberry Roasted Coffee for 20c a pound.
For Sale, a Gasoline Engine and Pump Jack. Apply to J. G. Heyen.
F. J. Saathoff and two sons, Charles and Marshall went to Fort Worth Tuesday to visit Louis Saathoff at Camp Bowie.
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bless, and Mrs. J. W. Hollaway and three children, visited at the home of Henry Frerichs Sunday.
Mrs. August Leinweber and two daughters, Misses Helen and Hulda, were pleasant callers at this office Wednesday.
Gus Thoms and family returned to Hondo Wednesday from Houston where he was employed in government construction work.
D. Beal and family returned to Hondo Tuesday from San Antonio, where Mr. Beal was employed in government construction work for some time.
Notice—The business meeting of the Red Cross Club will be held Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 3 p. m. All the members are requested to be present.
Math. Saathoff, near New Fountain, also yielded a pretty fair corn crop this year; his reaper, Louis Genes, sold his share some time ago amounting 85 bushels.
Henry Reitzler of Yancey paid this office a pleasant call Wednesday, while he was on the way to Quibi where he had to look after his interest at his place there.
Louis Schientz of Vanderberg was a business visitor here Monday and while here renewed his subscription for the Anvil Herald, as many others did at the end of last month.
Our old friend, Rudolph Poerner, was over from D'Hanis Wednesday and remembered us with a pleasant call. Mr. Poerner is one among the few farmers in Medina County who made some corn this year.
Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Beal and son, Ernest, Frank Westphal and Willie Neuman motored to San Antonio Sunday to visit the soldier boys at Camp Travis. Many of the boys will be detached to Camp Bowie at Fort Worth.
Many a hog of medium size has been killed this week. The dry cold spell furnished the right kind of temperature to make sausage, to salt in the hams, bacon and bones. The main reason of killing hogs so early was, besides the favorable cold spell, the lack of corn and the high price of lard.
Milton Schmitt left Wednesday evening for San Antonio where he enlisted in the quartermaster's division of the army and will do his bit to make the world safe for democracy. Army service is claiming most of our boys and we miss them more and more every day. And it seems so little to do only to be able to say—I wish you good luck!
Alex Marquis was down from Tarpley Wednesday on business. He informed us that he and Mr. Sprott have applied for a patent on a boll weevil catcher that he thinks is far superior to any ever yet invented. We wish him success with his new creation and wish he might catch and interne for the rest of the war every boll weevil in the Hondo valley.
Wednesday night was filled with pranks! Strange, ghostly figures flitted hither and thither about the town and here and there a grotesque Jack-o-lantern raised his grinning, fiery visage. The night was Hallowe'en—and the young people forgot the stern realities of war times and drouth conditions to make merry in a way that would befit happier times.
Three youths of Eagle Pass, Caspar Batot, Rob. Etter and Ernest Moebius report that they escaped the talk about the small pox in Eagle Pass on Sunday by going out duck hunting all day; they claim to have had a great time. But on Monday, they say, a howling norther disinfected the town, bringing up big clouds of sand and dust, that people had to wear goggles on the street to protect their eyes.
Jake Miller arrived home from the Great Lakes Naval Training School the first of the week on a twelve days furlough. Jake was with the second contingent of naval volunteers to leave Hondo after the declaration of war. Life in the navy seems to have agreed with him for he has increased considerably in stature and avoirdupois and he looks every inch a sailor. He spent the week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller.

Sausage Stuffers—Holloway Bros.
Curt Scharf of Yancey left for San Antonio Saturday.
Toby Koch paid a business call to this office Tuesday.
Mrs. Chas. Buss is at home again after a week's visit in Castroville.
Gus Thoms went to San Antonio Friday. He sold out his interest in the blacksmith shop here to Fr. Westphal.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parsons and children spent last Sunday in San Antonio.
All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendele's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-tf
We are still in the market for all kinds of poultry, eggs and butter. L. Barrientes & Son.
For Sale—24 horse power gasoline engine for sale. Apply to Citizens' Motor Car Company. 41-tf
Miss Della Peters is in Kennedy visiting her brother, Prof. O. W. Peters, and Mrs. Peters this week.
FOR SALE—A registered red-poll bull, four years old, \$125.00. Apply to Toby Koch, Hondo, Texas. 14
Mrs. Freddie Reinhart, after week's visit with Mrs. Felix Batot, returned to her home at Seco Sunday.
Cotton shipments up to yesterday for this season totaled 1,123, against 4,027 bales on same date last year.
Let Edwin F. Bendele put up your windmills and gasoline engines. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-tf
Car load shipments forwarded from here for the past week were: 3 cars of wood, 1 of cotton seed and 2 of cattle.
Mrs. Mina Koch returned to her home in D'Hanis Monday after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Robert Zerr.
C. R. Gaines, distributor for Goodyear, Racine and U. S. Tires and Columbia Dry Cell Batteries. Prices guaranteed. 14
Gwen Miller and wife were down from Austin this week on a visit to Mr. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller.
H. W. Butts unloaded thirteen cars of cattle here Thursday night, the cattle coming from the Rio Grande country.
STRAYED.—Brown mare mule, branded W on left jaw; gone about a week. Finder notify Tom Carter. Phone 61 F 4. 8-tf
Mrs. Flowers, after a visit to her father, Mr. M. J. Butts, passed through here yesterday morning en route to her home at Sandia.
Judge and Mrs. Nelson Lytle, Mrs. G. H. Noonan and L. Orynski of San Antonio were the guests of Judge and Mrs. R. J. Noonan here Sunday.
The following car load shipments were received in Hondo for the past week: 1 car flour, 3 cars hay, 1 of coal, 2 of corn, 1 of oil and one of oats.
FOR SALE—Ford Roadster. Bargain in used car—good tires, lots of power. Can be used for truck. Call and see it at City Garage. Horace M. King.
Judge H. E. Haass and family and Mrs. Aug. Hornung were among those from here who attended the funeral of the late John B. Wernette, Jr., in Castroville Tuesday.
H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.
Zingo, a four-chapter series, thrilling comedy sensation, began last night, Nov. 2nd, at the Star Theatre, with Zingo as the Lion of the Sea. The other features will appear as follows: Friday, Nov. 9th, Zingo in War in the Clouds; Friday, Nov. 16th, Zingo and the White Elephant; and Friday, November 23rd, Zingo in Africa. These high priced pictures will be shown at the Star at the popular prices of 10 and 15 cents. Don't fail to see them.



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Ammunition—Holloway Bros.
Big Stone Jars—Holloway Bros.
Eugen Huesser autoed to San Antonio Thursday.

Earl Boon is selling a 1 25c Canned Fruits for 20c a Can.

Mrs. H. B. Laughinghouse was a passenger west Sunday.

Fritz DeGrodt was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

Mrs. H. J. Heyen and two boys were passengers west Sunday.

Rev. Winter Green came in Thursday from a visit out west.

J. B. Schueling was a passenger to the Alamo City Thursday.

Earl Boon is selling Best Grade Tomatoes 12c a Can, \$1.40 Dozen.

Go to Barrientes for all kinds of fancy fresh fruits and vegetables.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Callahan, a girl, Tuesday, October 30th.

Capt. and Mrs. J. D. Smith returned Monday from a visit to San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Rothe came in Sunday from a visit to San Antonio.

Rev. Mr. Bettit alighted from the train here coming from San Antonio.

Your auto top made to look like new at Eugen Huesser's Saddlery Shop, 13

Machine hemstitching and picot sewing. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38 6mo.

Isthmian Spark Plugs cost no more and are guaranteed for life of your car. City Garage.

Mrs. John H. James is here from San Antonio on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Elmer de Montel.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline engine needs repairing call on Edwin F. Bendeke for quick service. 14-1f

OVERLAND SIX—The well-balanced Six—with plenty power and comfort. See this new car at City Garage.

A surprise party was given to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Graff by numerous friends of the family last Saturday night.

Bring your autos to me and let me re-cover them. Satisfaction guaranteed in both workmanship and price. Eugen Huesser. 13

For Sale—A limited number of Cornish Indian Game cockerels at two dollars each. First come, first pick. Mrs. Fletcher Davis. 1f

Rev. Mr. Gus. Muennink and wife arrived from Houston yesterday. Mr. Muennink will be pastor of the New Fountain Methodist church.

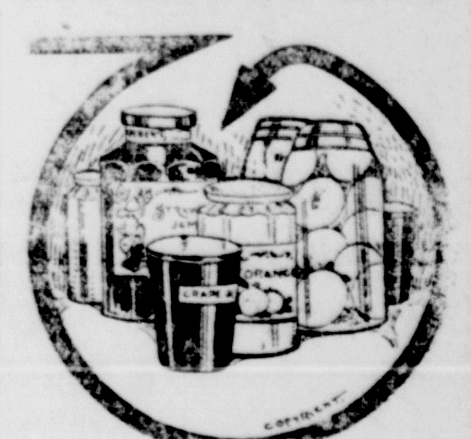
For quick sale—3 or more shares in Hondo Electric Light, Ice & Power Co. Cash Only. Make us an offer. Hanley & Davis, box J, D'Hanis, Tex.

Mail orders promptly attended to Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.

Mrs. John Davenport returned to her home in San Antonio Thursday after spending several days here with home-folks. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. J. T. Smith.

Arrangements have been made with J. W. L. Hanley to do a real estate business at D'Hanis. See him at the depot at that place and talk over your real estate wants with him. Fletcher Davis. 1-f

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NOTICE!

Hereafter we will gin only ONE DAY of each week--FRIDAY.

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George Heath of Dallas, who was operated on for appendicitis in a hospital in San Antonio a couple of weeks ago, was brought out from the city on yesterday's noon train by his brother, L. C. Heath, and will recuperate here for a few days.

The votaries of terpsichore should remember the "Tackey Dance" at the Biry Hall tonight. A great time is promised all who attend. The famous Schott orchestra will furnish the music. A cordial welcome awaits all who honor the occasion with their presence.

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Heating Stoves—Holloway Bros.
Sausage Grinders—Holloway Bros.
H. J. Heyen was a passenger to Laco-ste Tuesday.

Miss Goldie Hurt was a visitor to the Alamo City Thursday.

The Anvil Herald's telephone number is 127. When you have friends visiting you ring up and tell us about them.

FOR SALE—Cord and stove wood. Cord wood, \$2.75 per cord; stove wood, \$2.50 per load; also stumps, \$2.00 per load. All prices delivered. Telephone, line 1, R. 2. Aug Stiegler. 13-4t

C. G. Leighton was down from Tarpley Thursday and reports some unusually cold weather in his section. The thermometer dropped to twenty degrees there Tuesday morning. Many winters never bring colder weather than this early October freeze.

Hereafter every time you lick a postage stamp you help lick the Kaiser a cent's worth and every time you ride to San Antonio and back you are riding over him rough-shod to the tune of two bits. Everybody is doing his bit now and the slackers have had to get off the earth.

A report was received here Wednesday to the effect that George R. Carle had sustained a broken leg while playing foot-ball at Camp Bowie where he is training for the artillery service. His mother, Mrs. Carle, and sister, Mrs. Marvin Beal, left Thursday morning to visit him in camp.

W. H. Windrow and family enjoyed a visit this week from Mr. Windrow's mother, Mrs. M. A. Windrow. Mrs. Windrow was returning from a visit to California and stopped over here while enroute to Laredo. She continued her journey Thursday to Laredo where she is making her home with her son, Nuel Windrow.

Wm. A. Weyand of D'Hanis was the last of our subscribers to avail themselves of the opportunity of renewing in advance to 1918 for the paper at the old price. We hope peace will prevail over this bleeding old world and that plenty and prosperity will have chased the grim spectre of famine and want from the face of the earth by the time his date expires.

A J. Durham, the District Deputy Grand Master of this district, paid an official visit to the local lodge of Masons at its last stated meeting Saturday night. He made a splendid talk to the lodge, giving some good and wholesome instruction to the craft and laying designs upon the trestle board of their minds and hearts that should enable each individual to rear a more substantial and beautiful structure of his Masonic character. The local members of the fraternity will be glad to have frequent visits from the District Deputy.

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Mr. Henry Hartmann was in Wednesday from the farm to gather his this year's corn crop from a car-load of Oklahoma corn on the railroad tracks. Mr. Hartmann, who is an old Medina County pioneer whose scars bear mute evidence of the fact that he helped to make Medina County safe for democracy—and unsafe for the red skin—when shooting bullets and not throwing buncombe was counted as patriotism, says that he has never witnessed such hard times in this country before. With drought conditions and war-time prices it is making the stoutest hearted of even the old timers complain. But some day Nature will weep copious tears of sympathy for our parched and desolate condition, and Mother Earth will smile forth in plenty again.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Bendeke and children were up from Enterprise Thursday, visiting and shopping.

W. L. Riggs and family, formerly of this county but for several years residents of Arizona, have moved back here to reside.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 60c Edward J. Brucks was visiting relatives and friends here Saturday and looking after business. Mr. Brucks is connected with a large printing firm in San Antonio.

Remember, the Anvil Herald wants a correspondent from every neighborhood in the county. Send in the neighborhood happenings. Your communication in many instances would be as much appreciated as a personal letter by your friends in other parts of the county.

Col. C. W. Stone returned from Austin Thursday where he attended a reunion of Terry's Texas Rangers. Of course the pleasure of once more meeting with these grizzled old soldiers of other days afforded him great enjoyment. The Colonel says farming conditions in the sections visited by him were equally as bad as in this section, only fair crops being gathered in a few localities.

Members of the family here have been informed that Emmett de Montel has been promoted from a Second to a First Lieutenant and Elbert de Montel from Sergeant to a Second Lieutenant. These young men left here recently as members of the National Guard Company organized here and at Uvalde and are training at Camp Bowie, near Ft. Worth. This paper joins the many friends of the young men in congratulating them on their rapid promotion.

Mrs. B. G. Collier was called to San Antonio last Saturday evening on account of the critical illness of her sister, Mrs. Etta Lawrence. Mrs. Lawrence died Sunday morning and her body was taken to Lockhart for interment. Besides Mrs. Collier Mrs. Lawrence is survived by another sister, Mrs. Boykin, and one brother, Mr. Collier, who accompanied Mrs. Collier to San Antonio returned home Thursday night, but Mrs. Collier has not yet returned. Her friends here sympathize with her in her bereavement.

Cliff Happenings.

One of the strongest northers of the season blew up this a. m. It was accompanied by a few drops of rain.

Miss Gladys Schuchart spent a few days at Yellow Banks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wurzbach and daughter, Bernice, and Miss Lillian Peace were in San Antonio Saturday.

Messrs. Alois and Nick Haby, John Schuehle and John Naegelin stopped over here one night on their way to the San Antonio market with a bunch of cattle.

Messrs. H. T. and F. L. Wurzbach, Julius Becker, John Lebold and M. T. Schuchart were in San Antonio the first of the week with a bunch of fat cattle for that market.

Henry Stolte and Alfred Benke were seen on our streets today. Henry said "Goodbye, I am long gone for Travis Camp."

Messrs. Gabe and Robert Haby and Alex Helzung spent Sunday afternoon at Cliff. A READER.

Off to The War.

The Hondo, Texas, colored military boys left October 30, 1917. After enjoying a merry banquet and also a pleasant social given Monday night in honor of the soldier boys by their friends and relatives, they boarded the morning train with merry hearts. They were also made to feel glad for the many nice gifts from their white friends. The boys were accompanied as far as San Antonio by Rev. J. D. Macky and G. H. Pierce.

We, the parents of the boys, do heartily thank the many friends, both white and colored, for their kindness shown to them as they stepped out on a cold world to help to hold up the flag for our country.

FRANK PIERCE, SR.

The contingent consisted of the following: Ulees Bradley, Frank Pierce, Jr., Roy Fuller, Robert Bennett, Elmo Roberts, Jiles Knowles and Lonnie Knowles.

District Court.

The fall term of this court, after disposing of the case of The State vs. Jake Mills, rape, transferred here from Kerr county, adjourned last Saturday for the term. In this case, which was on trial when last week's Anvil Herald went to press, the jury rendered a verdict of guilty and assessed his punishment at five years in the penitentiary, but recommended a suspended sentence, which was granted.

This term of the court was the least expensive of any ever held in the county, the total cost being but \$460. This, in view of the extravagance that it has become the custom in the conduct of the courts throughout the country, is a remarkable record and one that the court officials have a reason to be proud of. It will also appear most favorably to the taxpayers.

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4:06 a. m.	3:32 p. m.	12:30 p. m.	12:45 a. m.
5:00 a. m.	4:20 p. m.	11:40 a. m.	11:35 p. m.
6:30 a. m.	5:00 p. m.	11:00 a. m.	10:45 p. m.
7:30 a. m.	6:45 p. m.	9:40 a. m.	8:40 p. m.
10:35 a. m.	9:45 p. m.	6:25 a. m.	5:10 p. m.
11:30 a. m.	10:35 p. m.	5:30 a. m.	4:05 p. m.

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IMPORTANCE OF HEALTHY KIDNEYS.

Hondo Readers Should Learn to Keep the Kidneys Well.

The kidneys have a big work to do. All the blood in the body is coursing through the kidneys constantly to be freed from poisonous matter. It is a heavy enough task when the kidneys are well, but a cold, chill, fever or some thoughtless exposure is likely to irritate, inflame and congest the kidneys and interrupt the purifying work.

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Not There.

"Judge," said Mrs. Staven to the magistrate who had recently come to board with her, "I'm particularly anxious to have you try this chicken soup."

"I have tried it," replied the magistrate, "and my decision is that the chicken has proven an alibi."—From the New Puck.

Irregular bowel movements lead to chronic constipation and a constipated habit fills the system with impurities. HERBINE is a great bowel regulator. It purifies the system, vitalizes the blood and puts the digestive organs in fine, vigorous condition. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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Week-days: Holy Mass at 7:30 a. m. During October Evening Services are held on Wednesday and Friday evening, at 7:30.

Stop coughing! You rack the lungs and worry the body. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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A good coal oil cook-stove.

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The Public is hereby notified that my pasture is POSTED and all trespassing hunting and disturbing of cattle is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.

13,11t F. J. ROTHE.

BAPTIST MINISTER
ENDORSES TANLAC

"It Not Only Helped Me, But My Little Daughter Derived Great Benefit From It," Says Rev. E. G. Butler.

One of the most noteworthy features in connection with the introduction of Tanlac throughout the South and West has been the large number of ministers of the Gospel who have unhesitatingly and voluntarily given this wonderful medicine their unqualified endorsement.

Rev. E. G. Butler, pastor of the Central Baptist Church and residing at 624 East Side Boulevard, Muskogee, Oklahoma, is one of the latest to come forward and add his testimony to the thousands of others who have been restored to health by its use. Rev. Butler has been pastor of this church for the past three years and is not only held in the highest esteem by the hundreds of his church followers, but is exceedingly prominent as a man and citizen. In describing his troubles and failure to find relief, Rev. Butler said: "I suffered from nervousness more or less for the last two years. I could not sleep soundly and for the past year I suffered from severe attacks of acute indigestion. The pains in my stomach, which I was told was gall stone colic, were often very intense and the relief I got was only temporary. I had to diet myself with great care and I couldn't get any restful sleep at night. I not only suffered a great deal of pain but became so weak and run-down that I would tire very quickly in trying to do my work."

"After reading of the work Tanlac was doing, I decided to give it a trial and the results I have gotten from four or five bottles have been most satisfactory. I sleep well at night now, eat anything I like and relish every meal. I'm not nervous any more and feel full of life and vigor. Tanlac has not only helped me wonderfully, but my little daughter, Francis, has derived great benefit from it. She has never been strong but has grown much stronger since she has been using Tanlac. She has never been able to attend school more than four months in the year until now, she goes regularly, except to rest a few days just occasionally. Tanlac has proven to be the right thing for us both, and I am glad to recommend it as the best medicine I have ever tried."

Commenting on the above statement, E. B. Smith, the Tanlac representative, said:

"I distinctly recall a number of other members of this high calling who have publicly expressed their indebtedness to this medicine and who felt it their duty to tell suffering humanity of the great benefit they had derived from its use. Among them are Rev. F. M. Winburn, 308 North Frio Street, San Antonio, Texas, pastor of one of the Methodist churches of that city. Rev. R. J. Taylor, pastor of Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church at Franklin, Texas. Rev. A. J. Vallery, 1980 Manila Avenue, Memphis, Tenn. Rev. Jas. H. New, pastor of the Baptist Church at Clarkston, Ga. Rev. W. C. Norton, pastor Wesley Memorial Church, Jacksonville, Fla. Rev. John M. Sims, a Baptist minister of Atlanta, Ga. Rev. A. H. Sikes, pastor of the Watkins Park Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tenn. Rev. W. T. Roby, pastor of the West Lonsdale Methodist Church at 800 LeRoy Street, Knoxville, Tenn. Rev. A. L. Tull, a well-known retired Methodist minister who lives at No. 3 Druid Hills, Atlanta, Ga.; and many others.

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow, in Devine by Lion Drug Store, in D'Hanis by Louis Carle, in LaCoste by Dickey Drug Co., and in Dunlay by Louis A. Haby.

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Costly Dressing.

Mrs. Washington Terrace consented to be interviewed.

"What? Dress on six hundred a year?"

She made a wry grimace as she waived the question aside.

"Why, I couldn't dress my salads on six hundred a year," she said.—From the New Puck.

Put a porous plaster on the chest and take a good cough syrup internally if you would treat a severe case of sore lungs properly. Get the dollar size BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. With each bottle there is a free HERRICK'S RED PEPPER POROUS PLASTER for the chest. Sold by W. H. Windrow

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, NOVEMBER 1, 1917

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

A monster Sweet potatoe.—We were shown a sweet potatoe (white yam), which was raised by Mr. Hugo Wurzbach of Rio Medina. The same tipped the scales at a fraction over $\frac{1}{2}$ pounds. Who can beat it?

Uncle Louis Burger was a Castroville visitor Wednesday. This was Mr. Burger's first visit to the old burg in many, many months and every one was glad to greet him.

Albert Pichot of Hondo was a Castroville business visitor Thursday.

H. J. Bippert of Riomedina who had been working as carpenter for Uncle Sam at Camp Travis, for over three months, returned to his home Saturday.

Charles Wurzbach, a student at Alamo Business College of San Antonio, spent Sunday with homefolks.

The dance given by the famous Willett Orchestra of San Antonio, at the Empire Opera House on Monday night, was well attended and very much enjoyed.

The sad news reached here Monday night of the demise of John B. Wernette Jr. at Del Rio. The corpse will be brought to Castroville, his boyhood home, and interment will be made Wednesday morning at St. Louis Cemetery.

Mission services will be held at the Lutheran church Sunday after next, November 11, both in the morning and afternoon.

The Liberty Bond Sales Committee of the Castroville precinct, including Castroville, Rio Medina and Cliff, reports the sale of \$18,560.00 Liberty Bonds.

Mr. L. W. Burrell, member of the Medina County Council of Defense, reports that the Bond Sales Committees of his precinct, including Castroville, Riomedina, Cliff and Lacoste, have sold \$34,950.00 Liberty Bonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Keller and baby, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Keller and three children, of Lacoste, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keller, of San Antonio, were guests of relatives and friends here Sunday.

Miss Clara Jungman visited in San Antonio one day this week.

Mesdames Mollie Hans, Lena Mangold, Sebastian Tschirhart and son, Limos, were Alamo City visitors Tuesday.

Milton Schmitt, Herman Filleman, and Elmer Rothe were over from Hondo for the dance.

Mrs. Willie Rihn was called to the bed-side of her brother, J. B. Wernette at Del Rio, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schmitt of San Antonio visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Hitzfelder of Lacoste was shopping here Tuesday.

Mrs. Max Boehme and two daughters, Miss Frieda and Henrietta, of Riomedina, were here Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Lebold and Mrs. John Zuberbueler and little son, Robert, and

SAYS LEMON JUICE WILL REMOVE FRECKLES

Girls! Make this cheap beauty lotion to clear and whiten your skin.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quart pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Haby were here Sunday from Dunlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Wurzbach were here from French Settlement the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Lieber and two little daughters, of D'Hanis, visited here and at Yellow Banks several days this week.

Gabe Hans came out from San Antonio Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Hans.

Mrs. Andrew Haby and daughter, Miss Isabella, of French Settlement, were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bendele and son, Eddie, of Biry, were here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schott were here from Red Wing Monday, shopping.

Robert E. Keller and Miss Myrtle Prichard of San Antonio were married Oct. 24, 1917, at the Sacred Heart Rectory of San Antonio; the attendants were W. W. Dayton and Miss Stella Anderson. Robert is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Keller of this place and has many friends who congratulate.

Miss Regina Ney of Idlewild spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Zimmermann Sr. of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Keller Sunday.

Mrs. Lena Ney and family of Hondo visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

Misses Marie and Dora Filleman, Lorine de Montel, Mary Kempf, and Teka Bader of Hondo attended the dance here Monday night.

Messrs. Frank Bass and Gustave Kraus of San Antonio were here for the dance Monday.

The body of J. B. Wernette, who died at Del Rio Monday evening, arrived here Tuesday evening accompanied by his widow, Mrs. J. B. Wernette of Del Rio, Mrs. Willie Rihn, Mrs. James Galbreath, Mrs. Frank Grimsinger, Mrs. Josie Wernette and son, Ehner Wernette, who were called to Del Rio Monday; they arrived there too late to see him alive.

Mrs. Ed. Jungman visited relatives in Lacoste the middle of the week.

Geo. Haas Sr. was here from Francisco Friday.

Robert Rihn made a business trip to San Antonio, Dunlay, Biry and Hondo Thursday.

Hugo Haegelin of Yellow Banks was a visitor here Thursday.

Louis Schorp and Joe Spittle spent several days in Pearsall during the week looking after their stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sues Sr. have returned from a week's visit in D'Hanis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Keller and daughter, Miss Della, attended the Keller-Prichard wedding in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Haby of Riomedina were shopping here Friday.

Louis Burger and daughter, Miss Lena Burger, and son, George, of Bader settlement, were here Thursday.

George Burrell was here from Yellow Bank Saturday.

Alois Haby of Red Wing was here Saturday.

Otto Haegelin was here Saturday from the ranch.

Mrs. Frank Hoffman returned Saturday from a week's visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. Chas. Buss returned to her home in Hondo Sunday after a week's visit to Prof. and Mrs. C. E. Winn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Tschirhart and two boys from Noonan were shopping here Friday.

Pete Tschirhart of San Antonio spent Sunday here.

An Old Man's Stomach.

As we grow older and less active, less and less food is required to meet the demands of our bodies. If too much is habitually taken, the stomach will rebel. When a man reaches the advanced age of 85 or 90, you will find that he is a light eater. Be as careful as you will, however, you will occasionally eat more than you should and will feel the need of Chamberlain's Tablets to correct the disorder. These tablets do not contain pepsin, but strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. They also cause a gentle movement of the bowels.

LaCoste Ledger Laconics.

Alfred Bippert of San Antonio was visiting his folks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zinsmeyer of Divot, Texas, were visiting relatives hereabouts the past week.

Mrs. Henry Weynand and baby of D'Hanis were visiting Jacob Rihn and family at Spindle top Sunday.

Albert Geiger of Camp Travis at San Antonio spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller took their daughter, Miss Florentine, to the Santa Rosa Infirmary Thursday morning, where she had her Adenoids removed at 10:00 a. m.

Messrs. Jacob Stein, H. F. Wurzbach and son, Alvin of Cliff, and Geo. Burrell from Yellow Banks were here with loads of Cotton, waiting for the gin-man last Friday.

What Would You Do?

In case of burn or scald what would you do to relieve the pain? Such injuries are liable to occur in any family and everyone should be prepared for them. Chamberlain's Salve applied on a soft cloth will relieve the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a very severe one, will cause the parts to heal without leaving a scar. For sale by all dealers.

John B. Wernette Jr.

Word has been received here that John B. Wernette, age 46, died at Del Rio Monday evening at 7 o'clock. He is survived by his father, John B. Wernette, of Castroville; one brother, Joe Wernette, San Antonio; three sisters, Mrs. Frank Grimsinger and Mrs. J. W. Galbreth of San Antonio, and Mrs. William Rihn of Castroville. Funeral arrangements have not been completed. — S. A. Express, Tuesday, Oct. 30.

Later: The remains of Mr. Wernette were taken to Castroville where they were buried Wednesday morning.

For a Weak Stomach.

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known P. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

REPRESENTATIVE OF STATE AGRICULTURAL DEPT. HERE

Fletcher Davis, one of the State Department of Agriculture's field men, who has been in the cotton marketing campaign since the Cotton Conference at Dallas September 21st decided that cotton should bring 30 cents, was here Tuesday to hold a mass meeting of farmers and business men to discuss the matter with them. Not being able to secure a suitable place to hold such a gathering, he contented himself by meeting as many as he could personally.

In an interview with The News editor, Mr. Davis said: "The man who advises farmers to part with their cotton for less than 30 cents either has a mercenary motive in doing so or else he has not studied the cotton situation. The world is face to face with an abnormal demand for both cotton and wool when surplus stocks are all used up and production is limited. In short, the world has never in its civilized history been so near a famine condition in the supply of textile materials as at present. The cost of other commodities is all out of proportion with the price of cotton. For instance, when corn was 18 cents per bushel and cotton 6 cents per pound, three pounds of cotton would buy a bushel of corn. With cotton at 20c per pound, what it was selling at when the Dallas Conference was called, and corn \$1.60 a bushel, it takes eight pounds. This disparity exists, too, in spite of the fact that the corn belt has made a big corn crop while the cotton belt is harvesting its third successive short crop of cotton.

"No business man in your town would part with his goods at less than a reasonable profit. There is not a reasonable profit this year for less than 30c a pound for cotton. The farmer should be a business man and not part with his 'stock in trade'—his cotton—for less than a fair and reasonable profit. If it becomes necessary for a farmer to finance the holding of his cotton and his local banks fail to come to his assistance, a bonded warehouse receipt from any point in Texas will secure the money for him at 6 per cent at the Federal Reserve bank."—The Granger News.

FEEDS.

(T. N. Lee, County Agent.)

In view of the high prices of feeds of all kinds, it is necessary that the best results possible be obtained from the feeds and that the feeds be made to go as far as possible. This is gotten by using a balanced ration.

A balanced ration is the feed or combination of feeds furnishing the several nutrients—protein, carbohydrates and fats—in such proportions and amount as will properly and without excess nourish an animal for twenty-four hours.

It will perhaps be found profitable, especially at this time, to grind the corn in the ear and milo. When corn on the cob is ground, the result is corn and cob meal. If it is ground finely the animals will eat all of the cob. This will cut down the amount of high priced roughage necessary.

It will also be found profitable to use some cotton seed meal with other grains in feeding work animals. Cotton seed meal has been fed in experiments to horses for several years without any bad results. And the horses that have been fed on cotton seed meal as compared with those not fed on it, have been thriftier and healthier. The ration has been cheaper, one ton of cotton seed meal taking the place of 48.3 bushels of corn. Cotton seed meal should never be fed without any other grains.

Start to feeding it gradually, feeding one-half pound of it daily at first. Increase gradually until at the end of thirty days one pound per day is fed. Do not feed over one pound daily. If animals are not at work, cut the ration down.

It takes power to do the best farming, consequently the feeding of the work stock is of great importance.

I will be glad to discuss feeds and work out rations for other animals for anyone.

Mrs. P. O. Stuchell Tells How She Cured Her Son of a Cold.

"When my son Ellis was sick with a cold last winter I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It helped him at once and quickly broke up his cold," writes Mrs. P. O. Stuchell, Homer City, Pa. This remedy has been in use for many years. Its good qualities have been fully proven by many thousands of people. It is pleasant and safe to take.

Always Have PERUNA

Mrs. L. A. Patterson, 1399 Kentucky St., Memphis, Tennessee, writes:

"I have been a friend of Peruna for many years. I have used it off and on for catarrhal complaints and found it a very excellent remedy. I have a small family of children. Times are hard with us, but I can scarcely afford to do without Peruna, especially during the season of the year when coughs and colds are prevalent. We always recommend Peruna to our neighbors, for the benefit it has been to us."

For Coughs and Colds in the Home. Recommend It to Our Neighbors.

Those who object to liquid medicines can procure Peruna Tablets.

MR. DAVIS SPEAKS ON PRICES OF COTTON

Hon. Fletcher Davis of Hondo, representing the State Department of Agriculture at Austin, was here last Wednesday and at 2 o'clock spoke to the farmers and business men at the District Court room under the auspices of the Young Men's Business League. Mr. Davis was introduced by Mr. Lee J. Rountree and spoke for about an hour on all the interesting phases of the raising and marketing of cotton.—Georgetown Commercial.

Certain Cure for Croup.

Mrs. Rose Middleton, of Greenville, Ill., has had experience in the treatment of this disease. She says, "When my children were small my son had croup frequently. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always broke up these attacks immediately, and I was never without it in the house. I have taken it myself for coughs and colds with good results."

FOR SALE—A Jersey cow, fresh milk. Apply to FLETCHER DAVIS, Hondo, Tex.

LIFT OUT YOUR CORNS

Apply a few drops then lift corns calluses off with fingers—no pain.

No humbug! Any corn, whether soft or between the toes, will lift right up and lift out, without a particle of pain or soreness.

This drug is called freezone and is a compound of ether discovered by a Cincinnati man.

Ask at any drug store for a small bottle of freezone, which will cost a trifle, but is sufficient to rid of feet of every corn or callus.

Put a few drops directly upon tender, aching corn or callus. Instantly the soreness disappears and shortly corn or callus will loosen and can be lifted off with the fingers.

This drug freezone doesn't eat out corns or calluses but shrivels them out even irritating the surrounding skin.

Just think! No pain at all; no smarting or smarting when applying it afterwards. If your druggist doesn't have freezone have him order it for you.

INDIGESTION

If you are ever troubled with indigestion, Chamberlain's Tablets will do you good. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. There are hundreds of people who have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Tablets. When you feel dull and languid after eating you may know that your digestion is faulty, unless you have eaten more than you

should. Belching, sour stomach, bloating are symptoms of indigestion and are relieved by taking Chamberlain's Tablets as directed. Indigestion is usually accompanied by constipation and is aggravated by it. Chamberlain's Tablets cause a gentle movement of the bowels, relieving the stipated condition. Chamberlain's Tablets are also most excellent for indigestion. Sold everywhere at 25c.

Ugh! Calomel Sickens; Salivates! Please Try Dodson's Liver Tone

I am sincere! My medicine does not upset liver and bowels so you lose a day's work.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your

druggist sells for a few cents a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to stir your liver without stirring you inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It makes you sick the next day; it loses you a day's work. Dodson's Liver Tone straightens you right up and you feel good. Give it to the children as well.

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CALLED HER FAMILY TO HER BEDSIDE

Six Years Ago, Thinking She Might Die, Says Texas Lady, But Now She Is a Well, Strong Woman and Praises Cardui For Her Recovery.

Royse City, Tex.—Mrs. Mary Killman, of this place, says: "After the birth of my little girl...my side commenced to hurt me. I had to go back to bed. We called the doctor. He treated me...but I got no better. I got worse and worse until the misery was unbearable...I was in bed for three months and suffered such agony that I was just drawn up in a knot..."

I told my husband if he would get me a bottle of Cardui I would try it...commenced taking it, however, that evening I called my family about me...for I knew I could not last many days unless I had a change for

the better. That was six years ago and I am still here and am a well, strong woman, and I owe my life to Cardui. I had only taken half the bottle when I began to feel better. The misery in my side got less...I continued right on taking the Cardui until I had taken three bottles and I did not need any more for I was well and never felt better in my life...I have never had any trouble from that day to this."

Do you suffer from headache, backache, pains in sides, or other discomforts, each month? Or do you feel weak, nervous and fagged-out? If so, give Cardui, the woman's tonic, a trial. J. 71

IMPORTANCE OF FALL PLOWING.

Off-Hand Observations by Mr. Davis, Field Agent of the Department of Agriculture, in the West Farmer and Investor for 1917.

essential of successful plowing in Southwest Texas is fall plowing. An exhaustive treatment of this subject is not to be thought of in the limitations of this article. The consideration of fundamental principles, however, is timely just now.

The first essential of most plowing is a good, deep, well-plowed but more or less compact soil. Not many of our heavier soils are usually plowed from five inches deep, they should be plowed from seven to ten, and in some cases twelve inches would be better. This deep breaking gives a seedbed zone to the roots of the plant and incorporating vegetable matter with a deeper layer of the soil. The plowing also aerates more of the soil, unlocking the stores of plant food that are held in the soil until they are made available by these natural agencies. A loose soil more readily retains the rain-fall than a compact surface, deep breaking is a reservoir, so to speak, and retain the fall and spring rains for the use of future crops. Both of these are very important to be considered.

Two warnings just here are: You must know the nature of the soil and how it has been handled in order to plow it or avoid making serious mistakes. The writer has in mind the writer has both heard and seen of deep plowing. A sandy loam farm with a hard clay subsoil in Llano County. He went into his fields and turned deep, turning several inches of cold, inert subsoil to the surface and burying his good surface soil many inches deep, with the result it took several years of plowing and aeration to bring his soil to its first state of productivity. Mr. A. condemns deep plowing. Mr. B. bought a worn-out plow with a very similar soil and in Atascosa County. His plow would not turn the soil. He said he would starve. But he plowed his soil. He observed that the surface had been plowed. From this narrow, circumstantial evidence, he concluded that the zone of the crops had the available plant food while the zone of mineral elements was locked up. He plowed under the surface soil and air and vegetable matter. He plowed to go down from two inches deeper than they had gone before into the subsoil. While his plow brought up the air and the air that carried vegetable matter to support the bacterial life in the soil. He burned no matter from his fields. He plowed under the legumes.

new farmers appreciate the importance of a plentiful supply of vegetable matter or humus. Humus is decayed or decomposed (vegetable and animal) matter. It is a dark, sponge-like substance with a wonderful water-absorbing capacity, nearly twice its weight in water. So the more rotting you can have in your soil, the more water it will absorb from the atmosphere permitting it to flow to your best soil into the water thus absorbed. Instead of being evaporated by winds and hot sunshine, the decayed vegetable matter in the soil the plant-food it contains, renders the soil easier cultivated, and the decay furnishes the energy for bacterial life, so necessary for a fertile, and healthy chemical reactions that

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unlock the mineral elements of the soil from an insoluble and unavailable form to a soluble form so that they become available for the use of growing crops. If farmers would study all of these things; or if they would only realize the vast quantity of valuable plant food contained in the stalks, straw, stubble and other refuse that remains after harvest, it is inconceivable that they would permit the waste by drying up and blowing away or burning of vegetation on their fields that now prevails.

There are several reasons why, where it is possible to do so, vegetation should be plowed under green and before frost falls upon it. Some of these reasons are:

(a) Experiments with a number of green manuring crops have demonstrated that the plants are richest in plant food when in full blossom and, hence, carry the greatest amount of fertilizing elements back to the soil when plowed under at this stage. This is especially true of our great soil-building and soil-renewing legume, the cow-pea.

(b) The sooner vegetation is plowed under after crops are harvested the less drain will there be on the soil moisture already in the soil and the less exhaustion of available plant food.

(c) The greener vegetation is plowed under the more of its own sap it carries back to the soil, thus hastening the process of decay and lessening the demand made upon the soil moisture to aid the decay where vegetation is allowed to dry out. This is a valuable consideration where a dry fall and winter prevails.

(d) The earlier vegetation is plowed under the fewer weed and grass seed will mature to foul the field next season.

(e) The earlier vegetation is plowed under the fewer insects will be left to go into winter quarters.

But this is another story, and we will consider the insect feature under the third reason for fall plowing.

3. (a) The early plowing under of green vegetation stops the breeding of insects peculiar to the particular kind of vegetation growing (boll weevils in cotton stubble, for instance) and leaves fewer of the pests to go into winter quarters.

(b) The covering up of vegetation and cleaning of land forces those that hibernates in trash to seek quarters outside of the field where many of those that escape destruction by natural enemies on the journey to new quarters in the fall and back to the fields in the spring can be burned up in the grass, brush heaps, dead timbers, etc., adjacent to the fields on cold winter days. (c) And since 95 per cent of the insects that are destructive to our crops live through the winter either in the egg, larva or chrysalis state on the surface or within the first eight inches of the soil, millions of them will be destroyed by turning the surface dwellers under so deep they can never get out and by disturbing and breaking up the natural rests or resting places of the ground dwellers and exposing them to their natural enemies and the destructive effects of the winter elements.

In view of the foregoing, our farmers this fall should not allow the scarcity of labor, the shortage of horse-power or the high price of feed to deter them from making thorough and the earliest possible fall preparation of their land. Therein lies the best preparedness for the future and the surest means of recouping the disasters of this year.

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Medina County Did Its Bit.

That the people of Medina county did their bit in the Liberty Loan campaign which closed last Saturday night is amply borne out in the figures shown below—a remarkable record when the conditions resulting from the disastrous drought which has prevailed in this section for the past year is taken into consideration. It also reflects great credit on Mr. A. M. Patterson, the county sales manager, and the various chairmen and their committees throughout the county. These gentlemen served without expense to the government and are entitled to the thanks of every citizen of the county for the excellent service rendered. In gratitude to the various committees that helped to make the campaign a success Mr. Patterson has sent a copy of the following letter to each of the chairmen throughout the county:

DEVINE, TEXAS, Oct. 30th, 1917.

To the Chairman of Liberty Loan Sales Committee, Medina County, Texas:

Gentlemen:

I beg to report below, a summary of the sales of "Liberty Bonds" sold in this county, during the "Second Liberty Loan" campaign, as per my reports compiled from your reports, to-wit:

Hondo.....	\$23,000.00
Castroville.....	18,550.00
Devine.....	17,300.00
Lacoste.....	16,400.00
Yancey.....	7,500.00
D'Hanis.....	4,350.00
Total.....	\$87,100.00

If there are any discrepancies, I am sure it was because of errors or omissions in reports, as I posted the reports as they came in, and have just checked them over.

I certainly wish to express my appreciation of the hearty co-operation shown in this campaign by the different chairmen and their committee.

While we did not quite come up to the apportionment made by the government for this county, yet when we consider the very short crops in this drought-stricken county, I think you each did good work.

It is to be hoped that this terrible war will soon be over, and that another Liberty Loan will not be necessary, but if it should be necessary, I am sure that you gentlemen will show the same patriotic loyalty that you exhibited in this campaign.

Again thanking you personally, and in the name of the County, the State and the Nation, I am,

Gratefully yours,

A. M. PATTERSON,
Medina County Sales Manager.

Weather Report

Hondo, Texas, for month of October, 1917.—Total rainfall, 0.21 inches; since January 1st, 13.55; average annual rainfall, 28.00 inches. At San Antonio since January 1st, 9.36 inches.

Temperature—highest, 98 degrees on 6th; lowest, 26 degrees—ice. First killing frost on 30th; average November 17th. One rainy day, 31 clear, 8 part cloudy, cloudy 0.

H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Volunteer Observer.

Supplying the Names.

"So you have twins at your house?" said Mrs. Nabor to little Jack.

"Yesum," he said soberly, "two of them."

"What are they going to call them, my dear?"

"Well, I don't know for sure, but I think their names is Thunder and Lightning," cause that's the names papa called them when the doctor came in and told him about them."

From the New Puck.

The Wise Man.

"He is a wise man who does not grieve for the thing he has not, but rejoices for those which he has."—Epictetus.

A Time for Everything.

Ethel—"Is it true that you have quarreled with Jack?" Ethel—"I should say not! My birthday is next week."

Ought to Be Enough.

According to a lately issued edition of a dictionary there are now 450,000 words in the English language.

Lard Cans—Holloway Bros.

Jacob Rothe was here from D'Hanis last Saturday on business.

Prof. L. J. Williams was here from D'Hanis last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reiber of D'Hanis were Hondo visitors last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch and family spent last Sunday with friends in D'Hanis.

Miss Lorene Heath was the guest of relatives and friends in D'Hanis last Sunday.

Miss Louisa Vogel is here from D'Hanis on a protracted visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muennink and Miss Nora Tondre visited Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tondre in D'Hanis last Sunday.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. C. M. Cullins and Mr. J. W. Brashier went to Uvalde Sunday to attend District Court. They are on the grand jury.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Reinhart spent Sunday in Hondo.

Mrs. Twomey of D'Hanis was over Monday to attend the funeral of Mr. Peters.

Miss Gertrude Albrecht came over from D'Hanis Saturday and spent a few days at the ranch.

Mrs. Lilly Law, who is teaching at Hondo, spent Saturday and Sunday with her father, Dr. B. D. Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reinhart motored to San Antonio Tuesday morning and returned Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rothe and daughter of Seco went with them.

Mr. Albrecht came over from D'Hanis Monday and went out to the ranch.

Free Book on Cancer.

A new book has just been published by Dr. O. R. Johnson, Suite 560, 1320 Main St., Kansas City, Mo., which gives reliable information of greatest value to cancer sufferers. The author of this book has spent 20 years in study and scientific research in cancer and has personally treated and investigated many hundreds of cases. He is known today as one of the foremost investigators in the field of cancer research, and his book should be read by every cancer sufferer. A limited number of these valuable books will be distributed free. You should send for a copy today, and if you have a friend suffering from cancer urge him to write to the above address for the book.

Junior League Program.

Nov. 4, 3 p. m.

Leader, Murray Dilworth.

Bible reading, Luke 10, 30-37.

Song, "Help Somebody Today".

Lord's Prayer.

First three commandments, by League.

Lesson Story, Leora Horger.

First Psalm, by boys.

24th Psalm, by girls.

"Things to talk about", questions by Will Ernest Newton.

Song, "One more day's work for Jesus."

Benediction.

Answer roll call with Bible verse.

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My pastures are posted and all hunting and trespassing therein is strictly forbidden. Keep out!

14,3m J. D. SMITH.

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THIS COUNTY WILL TAKE PART IN STATE CAMPAIGN FOR \$400,000 WAR WORK FUND.

Texas War Work Council Organized. Will Send Executive Secretary Here for Campaign.

To keep the home fires burning in the hearts of the 100,000 American troops in France during the long, cold winter that faces them in the trenches and to preserve the high moral and social life of the 1,700,000 men under the colors at home, the Young Men's Christian Associations of America are raising a national war work fund of \$35,000,000.

This County to Aid. Texas has agreed to give \$400,000 to this amount, and this county has been asked to do its part in the campaign.

At an organization meeting of the Texas War Work Council in Dallas recently, at which practically every county in the state was represented, the following men were named as members, with Rhodes S. Baker as chairman, and L. A. Coulter of Dallas, as state campaign director: H. H. Simmons, Hillsboro; R. E. Burt, Houston; E. R. Brown, Dallas; W. C. Kaige, Houston; W. S. Mosher, Dallas; C. A. Nichols, Georgetown; James Kapp, San Antonio, and J. P. Millican, Fort Worth.

A district executive secretary will be sent to this county in the interest of the campaign which will start Nov. 11 and continue through Nov. 19.

Keep Home Fires Burning.

Millions of soldiers each month thank God for the friendly Y. M. C. A. centers as a relief from the hard cold life of the camps and trenches. But it takes millions of dollars to continue and to extend this vital home touch—to keep these home ties from breaking.

\$35,000,000 Apportioned.

It is proposed to distribute the \$35,000,000 to be raised as follows:

For work with U. S. army and navy men in this country, \$11,120,000; for work with U. S. army and navy men overseas, \$11,554,000; for Y. M. C. A. work in the Russian army, \$1,000,000; for Y. M. C. A. work in the French army, \$2,200,000; for Y. M. C. A. work in the Italian army, \$1,000,000; for work among prisoners of war, \$1,000,000; for station work, \$8,000,000.

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Can't Resist Writing Home. Any one of the 75,000 Texas boys in the cantonments, or any one of the "dammies" in France, would tell you the same thing this Texas boy wrote to his folks at home:

"I feel as if you ought to know something of the work of this life-saver—the Y. M. C. A. Since the 'Y' shack was opened, the Messa bar and Bill's place are pretty well deserted. If you have loved ones at home, you just can't resist the open ink bottles and the pens and paper. It makes you ashamed to think that the 'Y' is more interested in your loved ones than you are. It hands you out religion in doses a man can take. It tightens up the halter that gets loose when a man gets away from home. Who pays? I don't know, but whoever it is, God bless them. They are the fathers of thousands of boys."

Look to Y. M. C. A.

President Wilson, Secretary of War Baker and Secretary of Navy Daniels are looking to the Association to afford them wholesome recreation, opportunity for study, substitutes for home life and manifold other comforts and necessities. The Y. M. C. A. program is designed to do just this thing for our boys from the time they enlist right up to the firing line—for they must die clean or come back straight if the yearnings of hundreds of thousands of homes are to be realized. To provide these few touches of home whatever be the money cost of doing so, is in reality an insignificant service compared to the sacrifice these men are making for us.

Texas to Help Generously.

Texas is expected to give more than the \$400,000 allotted as her share of the \$35,000,000 national Y. M. C. A. war work fund to be raised the campaign from Nov. 11 to Nov. 19.

A FAMILY AFFAIR

If your father and your son were in trouble, struggling for their lives, and doing it in defense of your home and your business, would you supply them with food and clothing, or would you refuse them?

This is a straight question. Yet it is the one facing you today. The country which has protected you and your family, may well claim to be considered as your father, and as for the boys who are giving their lives for you, surely they have a right to be considered as your sons.

This nation is one big family today. This war is a family affair.

Be a good father and a good son. Your sense of justice and fairness, your patriotism, is on trial.

When you remember that you are asked to give nothing, but only to lend money by investing in LIBERTY BONDS, you have no choice in the matter. Your heart tells you that you MUST do it.

If you have to go short of some luxury—do it.

Save and invest in Liberty Bonds until it pinches you, and the sacrifice hurts. It is the duty of every real American.

You will lose nothing. The bond is always worth just about what you gave for it. Probably it will be worth more later. You will have saved just that amount of money you invest in Liberty Bonds, and be just so much better off.

A man who will not sacrifice anything for his country, is not a real man. The man who does make a sacrifice, is a real man, and a true American.

You—the man who is reading this, know these statements are fair and true ones. This appeal is not written in vain, because it is going to influence you. You are going to buy a Liberty Bond.

YOU PAY YOUR DEBTS.

Of course you do. Why? You could turn rascal, and possibly "get away with it." You pay your debts because you want the respect of your fellow men.

Have you paid your debt to your Country?

You have been running up a bill with Uncle Sam for years. He has protected you, educated you, guarded you and your property, educated your children, and today he is fighting a death struggle with a fellow who would rob and murder you if only he could get at you.

Now Uncle Sam wants you to dig down and loan him some money.

What are you going to do about it? Tell him you "can do better" with your money than loan it to him? Are you going to tell him you pay your debts to everyone else, but you refuse to pay your debts to him? No. As an honest man, you are going to say: "Loan you money? Sure I will! Why if you asked me to give it to you, I would do it. But LOAN it, why sure!"

Millions of men are going to feel, and talk, and act, just this way. So are you!

Now, when are you going to do it? Why not today?

Perhaps you have wanted money some time in your life—most of us have. When did you want it? Right away, or in a month's time? Did you want to wait around wondering whether or not you were going to get the money? You did not!

Treat Uncle Sam the same way that you would wish to be treated yourself. Lend him the money now—willingly and quickly—today.

Blossoms for Dead Soldiers.

One of the most prosperous agricultural districts in France at the present time is in the near neighborhood of Toulon, the Mediterranean seaport not far from Marseille, and therefore far distant from the scene of war. But the war is to this district the most important source of its prosperity. For its chief product is those tiny, long-lasting flowers known as "immortelles." They go, in vast quantities, to decorate the graves of French soldiers. In early spring the fields planted with them are densely carpeted with the blossoms—associated in everybody's mind not with life, but with death—which are picked in early morning, before the dew is off the ground, and shipped, via Toulon, to all parts of France.

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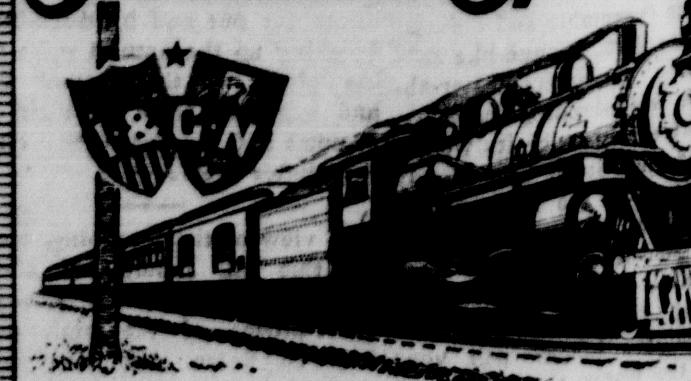
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